

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Harper et al
Serial No. : 10/788,958 Examiner : Mehrmanesh, Elmira
Filed : February 28, 2004 Group Art Unit : 2113
For : AUTOMATIC CRASH RECOVERY IN COMPUTER OPERATING
SYSTEMS

HON. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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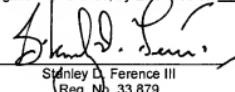
Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

1. Extension of
Time
- No extension of time is needed.
- Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF EFS-WEB FILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being filed with the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, by EFS-Web on December 18, 2007.


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December 18, 2007
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ERENCE & ASSOCIATES LLC
Request for Continued Examination

Atty. Docket No. Y0R920030494US1
(710.034)

2. Submission Required Under 37 CFR 1.114

- Previously submitted
 Please enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on November 19, 2007.
 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
 Other .
- Enclosed
 Amendment/Reply
 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 Other .

3. Miscellaneous

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months.
 Other .

4. Fees

- Applicant encloses herewith a check for \$ to cover the RCE fee.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$810 RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) to **Lenovo Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-3533**.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Lenovo Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-3533**.

Respectfully submitted,

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By


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Dated: December 18, 2007

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